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MIRAGE PUBLICATIONS

GB-1966-E:

SPRING, 1901
MOVE ORDERS

E

MOVES IN UPPER CASE SUCCEED
movee in lower case fail

RUSSIA (Dygart).....F ST. PETE (SC) TO GULF OF BOTHNIA
A WARSAW TO UKRAINA
A MOSCOW STANDS
f sevastopol to the black sea

AUSTRIA (Miller).....F TRIESTE TO ALBANIA
a vienna to trieste
A BUDAPEST TO GALICIA

GERMANY (Gemignani).....F KIEL TO DENMARK
A BERLIN TO KIEL
A MUNICH TO RHUR

FRANCE (Owings).....F BREST TO MID-ATLANTIC
A PARIS TO BURGUNDY
A MARSEILLES TO SPAIN

ITALY (Cartier).....e venice to trieste
A ROME TO TUSCANY
F NAPLES TO TYRRHENIAN SEA

TURKEY (Von Metzke).....f ankara to the black sea
A CONSTANTINOPLE TO BULGARIA
A SMYRNA TO ARMENIA

ENGLAND (Huff).....F EDINBURGH TO NORWEGIAN SEA
F LONDON TO THE NORTH SEA
A LIVERPOOL TO EDINBURGH

Looks like it may be an interesting game. All ready for stage 2? YOUR FALL, 1901 RECEIPT DEADLINE IS SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1966, AT 6 P.M. (E.S.T.) Propaganda for E follows:

St. Petersburg (Universal Russian Press): During a general session of pronouncements on War and Peace, Tsar Pierre (The Great) today handed various stiff (card board) notes to the 4 continental ambassadors. To the Turkish Plenipotentiary Extraordinary, the Tsar handed a stiff, a recent casualty of a border incident. Tapped to the stiff was a declaration renouncing the Treaty of Paris of 1856.

The Parliament of France (affectionately known as the Gaul Bladder) wishes to announce an absolute non-aggression pact with England, Turkey, Austria-Hungary, and Carthage.

(PROPAGANDA CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

Vienna, March 2, 1901: The Emperor Dmff, citing the war-clouds gathering on the horizons to the east, west, north, and south, has ordered the full mobilization of the Austro-Hungarian armed forces. Meanwhile, he has ordered the annexation of Albania by the Grand Fleet, and has sent the Vienne Boy Scout Troop #1 into Switzerland in order to bring that country under firm Austrian control. Reports from Tirania indicate the operation there was a success. The Swiss Expedition, however, has suffered a temporary delay while the scouts from Troop 1 earn their merit badges in mountain-climbing, yodelling, and winter sports. Stout lads!

Kiev (U.R.P.): Sultan, beware! You know not what you face! Abhigard has defected to OUR side.... (This is a paid political announcement sponsored by Yog Sothoth & the "e boys.")

DISPATCH: I give Russia two years of survival (signed) a traitorous Russian Monk. *LATE PROPAGANDA on PAGE 5!*

GB-196S-B:

SPRING, 190S
MOVE ORDERS

B

MOVES IN UPPER CASE SUCCEED
moves in lower case fail

GERMANY.....e picardy to paris
A MUNICH TO BURGUNDY
A BELGIUM (S) A MUN-BURG.
A BERLIN TO MUNICH
A SILESIA STANDS
F KIEL TO DENMARK
F SWEDEN (S) F KIEL TO DENMARK

AUSTRIA.....F ALBANIA TO IONIAN SEA
A GALICIA TO BOHEMIA
A VIENNA TO TYROLIA
A BUDAPEST TO GALICIA
A SERBIA TO TRIESTE
A MOSCOW TO LIVONIA
A WARSAW (S) TURK. A SEVAS-MOSC.

TURKEY.....A SEVASTOPOL TO MOSCOW
A ARMENIA TO SEVASTOPOL
A CONSTANTINOPLE TO BULGARIA
F RUMANIA (S) A CONST-BULGARIA
F AEGEAN (S) AUS. F ALBAN-IONIAN
F IONIAN SEA TO TUNIS

ITALY.....A MARSEILLES (S) GER. A MUNICH-BURG.
F SPAIN (SC) (S) A MARSEILLES
F TUNIS TO WESTERN MED.
F naples to ionian sea
A VENICE TO PIEDMONT
A APULIA TO VENICE

FRANCE.....A BREST (S) A BURGUNDY TO PARIS
A GASCONY (S) A BURGUNDY TO PARIS
A BURGUNDY TO PARIS

ENGLAND.....A EDINBURGH STANDS
F NORWAY STANDS
F SKAGGERAK STANDS
F NORWEGIAN SEA STANDS

LAPLAND.....A ST. PETERSBURG STANDS

Somebody must hava coordinatad this -- all movas saam to hava succaedad against pieces alraady moving out of tha contestad squaras. Wall, this maans no retreats necessary, and so your FALL, 190S (gad! is it that lata alraady?) MOVE ORDERS ARE DUE HERE BY 6 P.M. (EST) ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26. Propaganda follows:

Romani Imperator Ragi Francorum: Vites tuua molles effarunt acinos. (Roman Emperor to tha Franch King: Your vinas hava tandar grapas).

Harr von Rainsal will instituta a lend-laasa program to Austria and Italy to help tham in thair war against Turkey: tha army in Silasia may mova to Galicia to gat to tha front linas!

% Wain, April 19, 1905 (Rautars): Today's prass confaranca for foraign nawsman was conducted by lucious Madam Yoni Varoom former prass attacha to Colonel Pfitzanzartz (former Major-General). "Truly, gantlaman," announcaed the diaphonous-clad Madam Varoom, "Colonel Pfitzanzartz doasn't know which way is East. And, I may add," sha aaid, blushing prattily, "seomatinas ha doesn't know which way is up."

Ankara, March 22, 190S: Tha War Ministry has just ralaasad the following atatamant concerning tha recant clash with the Grand Army of Austria-Hungary: "During Sapteembar of last year tha Garman barbarians ralaaaad into tha winds blowing across Auatria-Hungary a naw and vary affectiva gas, which had as its primary effect the darangamant of all who inhalad it. Acting undar tha influencia of this Satanic substanca, tha Austrian laadara ordarad thair troopa to turn against thair faithful allias, tha Turks. This resultad in tha massacra of tha Törkish First Army, which was than occupying Moscow, and almost brought about a Turkish countar-attack which would hava only endad in tha annihilation of both nations. Fortunately, tha winds shifted, blowing tha "loonay" gas back into tha facas of tha Germans -- and the affect of tha gas, lasting only as long as inhaled, wora off, tha Austrians regained their sanity, apologized to Sultan Donlad and His government, and ara onca again fighting alongsida tha brava Turks in tha fields and on tha saas. As for tha Garman -- one naad only look at thair wild gyrations and listen to thair lunatic ravings to know thay inhalad thair own mediciaa! Wa call upon all nations to unita against the gassers in Garmany -- and wa remind tham to ba sura to wear gas masks to bad tonight. (And now wa all wonder why tha Franch, English, and Russians hava baan acting so strangaly)....

Wain: "All roads laad to Rome!" shoutad Colonel Franz Pfitzenstartz today as ha clattarad down tha marble steps at tha Royal Instituta of Gaography in Budapest today, sword in hand. "How can I miss?" he asked.

QUESTION TO ENGLAND AND RUSSIA (LAPLAND) FROM THE PRESIDENT OF SWITZERLAND: How is it tha only playars to hava missad a B mova ainca 1901 ara BOTH Baltimoraans and within a local call's distanca?

GB-1965-Q:

SPRING, 1904
MOVE ORDERS

MOVES IN UPPER CASE SUC-
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TURKEY.....A BULGARIA TO SERBIA
F IONIAN SEA TO ADRIATIC SEA
A CONSTANTINOPLE TO BULGARIA
F AEGEAN SEA (S) A CONST-BULGARIA

RUSSIA.....F BLACK SEA TO SEVASTOPOL
A RUMANIA (S) TURK. A BULGAR-SERBIA
a galicia to budapest
a bohemia to munich
A UKRAINA TO WARSAW
F SWEDEN (S) ENG. F SKAGGERAK-DENMARK

ENGLAND.....A NORWAY TO HOLLAND
F NORTH SEA (C) A NORWAY TO HOLLAND
A RHUR TO KIEL
F HELGOLAND BIGHT (S) A RHUR-KIEL
F SKAGGERAK TO DENMARK
F BELGIUM TO PICARDY

AUSTRIA.....A VIENNA (S) A BUDAPEST
A BUDAPEST (S) A VIENNA
a serbia (s) f greece to bulgaria
F ALBANIA TO IONIAN SEA
f greece to bulgaria (sc)

ITALY.....F NAPLES STANDS
A ROME STANDS
A PIEDMONT TO TYROLIA

FRANCE.....A BURGUNDY STANDS
A MUNICH STANDS
A BREST STANDS
F TUNIS STANDS
F WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN STANDS
F TYRRHENIAN SEA STANDS
A MARSEILLES STANDS

GERMANY.....ARMY BERLIN STANDS
f denmark stands
f kiel stands

The German player is warned that if he misses the fell move he will be considered to have resigned; he, however, has the GM's permission to retain his sub by declaring civil government collapsed. That would count as a move. Austrian A Serbia is dislodged, and must retreat to either Trieste or Albania. Jacks was contacted and signified the following summer retreat order: ARMY SERBIA TO TRIESTE. Both German fleets are dislodged, but only one retreat opening -- the same one -- exists for both. Thus, F KIEL IS ELIMINATED and FLEET DENMARK RETREATS TO THE BALTIC SEA.

Germany still has a chance to regain a center; play on, play on!

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Propaganda follows on next page.

